

**AMUSEMENTS**  
**Al G. Field.**  
It is difficult to introduce something new in minstrelsy, but Uncle Al Field has accomplished this feat. The 1924 edition of the Field Minstrels came to the Lyric Thursday, fresh in funniness and replete in songs, many new, but including some of the favorites which minstrel lovers will not permit to pass.  
To say that "Uncle Al" though he is not traveling with the show, has outdone himself, is putting it mildly. Seeing the literature from the opening set, which is a take-off on the recent international yacht races, through the "Front Porch" affair to the last ensemble, is such a take-off on the recent thing in this form of entertainment that has come to Memphis in seasons and seasons.  
With that inimitable Bert Swor as leading comedian, Field has sent on the road many of the old burnt cork stars whose names not only are familiar but whose presence makes doubly sure of a good performance. There is Jack Richards, with his robust baritone; Billy Church, whose tenor voice grows sweeter each season; Leslie Perry, Dolf Koster, Homer Cooper, the King of the Shunk and a chorus which for down-right harmony can't be beat.  
Outside of Swor, the list of fun makers includes Johnny Healy. No Field troupe would be complete without Healy and his "Old Black Joe" feature. Some acts going in the first part and after his initial entrance he had the Lyric audience howling until the final drop. "The Front Porch" staff enables this jocular blackface artist to bring his comedy in at best. Of course, the burlesque is based on activities on the new famed portico at Marion.  
Space won't permit a review of everything the show offers. Superlatives already used are good for the numerous dance numbers, song efforts and the comedian's stunts.  
The engagement will end Sunday night.

**State.**  
Six girls, who have good voices for lighter selections they use, and who can play or any number of musical instruments, feature the new bill at Lee's State. The act is styled "The Petite Musical." It is an act that will stand out on any three-day vaudeville bill.  
Stars who stand out are the violinist and the pianist. The former gets all the melody in the world out of her violin in rendering "Tale of Dreams."  
Eddie Harvey and George Siffer open with a variety turn that includes talking, piano playing and singing. The lines are fly to the extreme.  
"Mary Lou" is the sketch of the bill. Two men and Nancy Boy comprise the cast. The lines are rather clever and the climax is worked up in a pleasing way. Comedy and humor combine to make the plot. Comedy and humor are put comedians who chatter and sing.  
"The Fright Hour" is the feature film. It is presented by an all-star cast, which includes Lee Lyell and a half dozen other equally as well-known screen celebrities.  
The four Thanksgiving day shows found capacity audiences.

**Orpheum.**  
Like so many artists of the stage, who receive their artistic training in old Europe, little Albertina Ruch, at the Orpheum, the foremost exponent of the ballet classic and the dance modern, is more than ordinary colorist. Years of experience with purchase materials and colors found her dissatisfied with the result as seen from "the front of the house." Certain materials in their texture and color would prove a great disappointment when subjected to the test of stage lighting and backed by modern scenery.  
Albertina Ruch had already learned the art of costume designing and making, but the proper colors to express certain musical compositions, certain moods, certain titles, that was another matter. She said recently: "I had been forced to resign and make my own costumes and those for my pupils dancers, because I could not get absolute satisfaction any other way. I am credited with the distinct sense of color value and like most European trained girls, I knew not a little about the blending of color to produce artistic effects, and the result obtained by dyeing certain fabrics certain colors. I therefore commenced to dye my own materials before making them up to my own designs. This is my idea of independence. I am at last independent of the slow, costly and often arrogant dyer, the designer and the arranger. Dyeing is one of the most interesting fields a young girl can enter, particularly if the stage is her ultimate ambition."

**Walker Whiteside.**  
In his long career as an actor, Walker Whiteside has played many parts. He has also written numerous plays. In all of which he has starred. Theaters with long memories in Memphis will recollect Whiteside's early appearances in this city, when he played parts as Hamlet, Romeo, Richard III, Othello and Richelieu. While he was acting these strongly contrasted characters, the young actor was unconsciously paving the way for his future greatness. Now that he is portraying the complex role of James Durie in "The Master of Ballantrae," his early training stands him in good stead. In the delineation of this adventurous young rogue, Walker Whiteside puts into play all of the art and graces which he acquired in his Shakespearean days. He makes love like a Romeo; he hates as vividly as ever Iago did; he is as villainous as Richard III, and as passionate as Othello. James Durie is a composite of these types, and it is said that Walker Whiteside has never shown to better advantage than in portraying him in "The Master of Ballantrae." This fine actor will be seen at the Lyric theater on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 1 and 2.

**Moving Pictures**  
**Lyceum.**  
Telling as it does, a vivid romantic story of Parisian art studios and the famed night life of the French capital, "Body and Soul" with beautiful vivacious Alice Lake in the leading role, opened what should prove a successful three days' engagement at the Lyceum Thursday. In the picture Miss Lake plays the part of an American girl art student in Paris, who goes out upon a trifling errand and disappears. What happens to her and the development of a dual personality furnishes the photodrama with an absorbing and dramatic plot.  
In addition to the feature film, "Home Rule," a truly laughable comedy, proved entertaining Thursday and created many laughs.

**Strand.**  
The fighting front of France was the "crucible of courage" in which many a brave American soldier discovered his own moral value. At least "Square" Kelly, a San Francisco seafarer, did. He reformed and joined the police force to wage a relentless fight against crime. He was successful he was in this as well as in the line of love. He is admirably depicted in William S. Hart's latest photoplay, "The Cradle of Courage," which is now playing at the Strand theater. Mr. Hart is finely supported by Ann Little and other players.

**Majestic.**  
Some valuable old tapestries and paintings now are to be seen on the screen at the Majestic theater when Dorothy Dalton's latest picture, based on Sir James Barrie's "Half an Hour," is exhibited. Part of the scenes occur in the home of an art connoisseur and Director Harry Kivie, with his usual insistence on realistic details, actually rented some marvelous old works of art for the picture. Miss Dalton is seen in the role of Lady Lillian, a spirited young aristocrat. Playing the principal male role is that old screen favorite, Charles Richman.

**Princess.**  
"The Gilded Dream" in which Carmel Myers is to be seen at the Princess theater Friday and Saturday, is based on a popular magazine story from the pen of Katherine Leiber Robb. It tells the story of a girl who leads a colorful existence and who dreams of a gargoyle again future. Doris Schroeder adapted the story for the screen and it was given a successful production under the direction of Rollin Sturgeon.

# The Adventures of Ann

By HAL COFFMAN  
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"The future looks a bit foggy to me," the mysterious woman told Ann.

**CHAPTER 37.**  
In the midst of Ann's conversation with her father during which Mr. Sheridan had become angry for the uncomplimentary things she had said about Harwood—the mysterious woman came along the deck and, seeing Ann, sat down beside her. Ann's father looked at her and scowled, but the mysterious woman gazed serenely back at him as if she had heard none of the conversation.  
Finally he said to her: "What is this you have been putting Ann up to? Just because you do not like Harwood is no reason why you have to try to queer me and my family with him. Harwood's all right, and our daughters?—"

Ann and the rest of my daughters are going to treat him with the respect due his wealth and position."  
The mysterious woman's eyes flashed as she looked at Ann's father and, putting a protecting arm around Ann, she said to him: "Mr. Sheridan, if you are so blind or so selfish of your own comforts that you would allow a man like Harwood to come into your family you can not care much for your family or your welfare. You can't really understand Harwood or his intentions or you would shun him as you would a rattlesnake. He has made a wreck of my life, and now are you going to allow him to do the same with one of our daughters?"

"I know Harwood much better than you do and I know just what his intentions are, for at first I helped him to get acquainted with your daughter, but I could not, and would not, go through with my end of it. Ann never even remembers her mother and, I fear, you have sadly neglected your duty in not doing you part better."

"Betty knows and agrees with me, even if you do not. Just because you are indebted to Harwood for a better position than you formerly had means nothing, your family comes first."

Ann's father glared at her and, mumbling to himself, turned and walked away.  
(To be continued.)

**OFFICIAL FIGURES ON ILLINOIS ELECTION GIVEN**  
(By International News Service.)  
CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—President-elect Harding's plurality over James M. Cox in Illinois was \$99,985, according to complete official figures today. Senator Harding's total vote in Illinois was 1,424,480 to 534,395 for Cox. William B. McKinley was elected United States senator by 837,036 votes, the count standing 1,381,894 for McKinley and 544,858 for Peter A. Walker.  
Gov.-elect Len Small received 1,215,073 votes and James Hamilton Lewis 728,231 votes, giving Small a plurality of 514,842.

**BRAISTED TO RETIRE**  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.—Rear Admiral W. C. Braisted, surgeon-general of the navy since 1914, will go on the retired list Friday. Secretary Daniels considered, Mr. Daniels said, an authority on tropical diseases in the country and one of the ablest members of the navy medical school. He is now head of the naval medical school and was called into consultation early in the illness of President Wilson.

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**OBREGON'S LANDSLIDE WAS LIKE HARDING'S**  
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MEXICO CITY, Mex., Nov. 26.—The chamber of deputies has gone through the form of declaring Gen. Alvaro Obregon the lawfully elected president of Mexico, count of the votes cast having been completed.  
A total of 1,131,751 votes were cast for Gen. Obregon. A. Robles received only 47,442 votes. There were 2,857 votes divided among the other candidates.  
Senator Robles, who made such a poor showing, although Obregon's most formidable rival, is said to be one of the most popular men in Mexico.  
Obregon's term begins on Dec. 1 next and ends on Nov. 30, 1924.

**Premier Brings Laugh By Retort**  
LONDON, Nov. 24.—Premier Lloyd George, asked in the house of commons if he had seen reports that Americans had obtained contracts from soviet Russia to the extent of \$600,000,000 pounds sterling, for locomotives and all kinds of rolling stock, replied:  
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Ground Beef, lb. .... 12 1/2c	Boiled Ham, sliced, lb. .... 50c	Country Pork Sausage, lb. .... 30c	Print Cream, lb. .... 28c
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